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**FEDERAL COURT HANDS DOWN LENGTHY SENTENCES
FOR TWO CRACK COCAINE DEALERS**

Orlando, Florida - U.S. District Judge John Antoon II, yesterday sentenced Roy Edward Detreville, Jr., 23, of Orlando, to 22 years, 10 months imprisonment and Zachary Beasley, 21, of Orlando, to 5 years, 10 months imprisonment, for conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute more than 50 grams of cocaine base, commonly called "crack cocaine." Detreville and Beasley were found guilty on September 22, 2004, following their guilty pleas to an information charging the conspiracy offense.

According to court documents, in April 2004 Beasley bought three ounces of crack cocaine (84 grams) from Detreville in Winter Garden, Florida. Beasley was buying two of the ounces for someone who turned out to be a confidential informant for the DEA, and he was buying the third ounce for himself. Shortly after the transaction, the men were stopped by law enforcement agents. Beasley had three ounces of crack cocaine in his car, and Detreville had government money from the deal in his pocket.

In sentencing Detreville to 22 years, 10 months, and Beasley to 5 years, 10 months,

for the same charge, Judge Antoon took into account the fact that Detreville had two prior felony drug convictions, while Beasley had none.

The case was investigated by the Drug Enforcement Administration. The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Bruce S. Ambrose.